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# Looking Forward, Looking Back

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WHAT WE WILL COVER

**Lessons of 2022**

**Portfolio ETF Performance**

**What 2023 might bring**

**December PMA Numbers**

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LESSONS OF 2022

# 2022 Main Themes

- Volatility in global investment markets:
  - Inflation, interest rates, energy prices, recession concerns, and geopolitical events
- Different investment markets and asset classes have had varying levels of performance
- Diversification can help reduce volatility and smooth returns
- Best-performing asset classes can vary from year to year, and sometimes the best one in one year can be the worst the next.



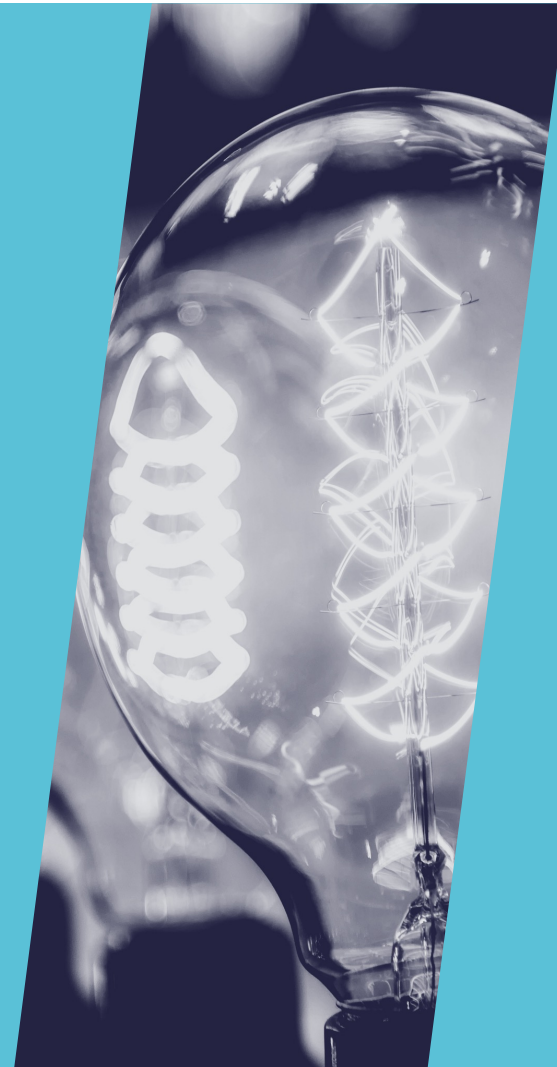
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# Interest Rates

- RBA Cash rate target
- 2 FEB 2022 – 0.10%
- 7 DEC 2022 – 3.10%

# Inflation

- SEP 2022 – 7.3%



# ETF Performances to 2022



— ISHARES S&P/ASX 200 IOZ -0.7%      — VANGD International Index VGS -12.3%  
— ISHARES S&P 500 IVV -12.5%      — S&P 500 COMPOSITE -18.1%

Source: Refinitiv Datastream, InvestSMART

# ETF Performances to 2022



— ISHARES Aus Bond ETF IAF -9.8%      — VANGD Glb Bond ETF -13.0%

Source: Refinitiv Datastream, InvestSMART

WHAT 2023 MIGHT BRING

## Several factors that could affect the market in 2023 include:

- China easing COVID-19 restrictions
- Potential resolution to Russia-Ukraine conflict
- Economic challenges in the UK and Europe
- Disruptions to supply chains
- Natural disasters leading to higher inflation and impacting insurance companies



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# December PMA Numbers

## DECEMBER PMA NUMBERS

- ASX200 down 3.21% for DEC 2022

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